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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Group Art Unit: 2825

Application No.: 09/424,500

Examiner: G. Lee

Filed: February 22, 2000

Docket No.: 104788

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, MOLDING DEVICE FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 19, 2003.

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Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired February 19, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for three months. Included in our enclosed check is \$520.00 in payment of the fee for a third month extension of time (a two month extension having been paid on April 21, 2003; and a one month extension having been paid on March 19, 2003) for filing this Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this document are enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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